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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Hiroyuki HYODO et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2823**

Serial Number: **10/662,474**

Examiner: **William D. Coleman**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 22, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 22, 2005 for two months from September 22, 2005 to November 22, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$420.00 for the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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